

AT THE SWIMMING

Some Good Water Racing in the Harbor

KIMOKEO WAS INDISPOSED

Hundred Yard Event Off-Exciting Quarter and Half Mile Contest. Boys—A Game of Polo.

The aquatic events in front of the boat houses Saturday afternoon, drew forth quite a crowd. Although the principal event of the afternoon, the one hundred yards championship swimming race between Ranear and Kimoeko, did not take place on account of the indisposition of the native, the remaining events created a lot of excitement and enthusiasm, especially from the delegation of natives which crowded the pier between the Heahani and Myrtle boat houses.

The events did not start until about 3 o'clock on account of the waste of time spent in finding out what ailed Kimoeko.

The quarter mile swimming race was the first on the program. The start was made from a position off the Pacific Mail wharf, just astern of the ship Port George. C. Mayne of the Regulars and Kusiwa and Jones being the only ones entered. Kusiwa led from the beginning and kept up his splashing overhand stroke clear to the finish. Try as he would, Mayne could not catch him and Jones was out of the race altogether. Time, 5:33. Mayne went over the course in 5:05.

The second event was the one hundred yards swimming race for natives. Gilman and Makia were the only swimmers entered. These finished in the order named, Gilman making the finish in 1:45 2-5.

The 100 yards championship race came next. Since Kimoeko did not enter, W. W. Scott and Gilman went in to make a race. The starting point was at a float in front of the Aloha boat house and the finish at a position off the Heahani boat house. Scott jumped in to pass Ranear. Gilman started off with Ranear. The latter was undoubtedly the best man and soon left Gilman far behind, finishing in 1:30 3-5. After the last race, the course was measured and found to be 13 yards short. The wonder at the fast time made was soon dispelled when the length of the course was made known.

The fifty yards boys' race was won by A. Harris after a hard fight. Time, 27 3-5 seconds. Makia came in second, Moses third and Kalaikini last. The race was a very close one from start to finish.

The half mile championship race between C. Mayne, W. T. Jones and Moses was won by Mayne in 14:42 2-5. Jones came in second.

The water polo contest created the fun of the afternoon. With Ranear and Mayne as captains, two teams were chosen from the ranks of the swimmers present. Following were the teams:

Water Babies—Mayne, Scott, Farnett, Wilder, Cook, Mitchell, Jones.

Wild Swans—Ranear, Hennessy, Wilred, S. Lyle, Kiley, Bower, Vincent.

Play lasted for 30 minutes, the Water Babies winning with a score of 2 to 1. One goal was rigged up on the jumping platform off the Aloha boat house and the other on a float off the Myrtle boat house. W. H. Crozier threw the ball to a position between the goals after each score. The fight was a lively and exhausting one. Ranear always managed to get the ball first but he did not hold it long. For the Water Babies side, Scott threw one goal and assisted Mitchell in throwing the second. For the Wild Swans, Ranear threw the only goal. Had the goal been perfectly solid, this score would not have been made. As it was, the stick against which the ball struck broke, and the ball went through. Had the goal been solid, a foul would have been made.

LIVELY TIMES.

Saturday Night Affairs Engage the Police.

The Police had a rather hard time of it Saturday night and more than one is now walking about with bruises.

Just after the circus had started a drunken native went to the ticket office and raised a row in an instant. Two policemen were soon at his elbows and took him toward the Police Station. Before arriving there he had knocked down both the men. Officer Pohaku arrived and then the native found he could not help himself.

Kaiki and Kawai of the Bicycle Patrol were attacked by drunken blue-jackets whom they had in tow and Kaiki is now walking about with a black eye.

Officer Neely was another who had a similar experience. He arrested W. Krouse on the charge of drunkenness. Everything went well until arriving in the Station House yard, when Krouse kicked the officer in the stomach. He was soon subdued and put in a cell.

Of late, the Police officers have been afraid to use their clubs on account of

the penalty that has been laid on the shoulders of some of their number recently; however, there are times, such as Saturday night, when a vigorous use of the club would be in order.

Emperor's Birthday.

The following circular letter has been sent to officers of the N. G. H.: Headquarters First Regiment, National Guard of Hawaii.

Honolulu, H. I., January 22, 1898.

Sir:—I am directed by the Lieutenant-Colonel Commanding to say that he has received from the Imperial German Consul, an invitation for himself and the officers of the regiment, to participate in the observance of the Anniversary of the Birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Germany, and he desires that all who may wish to attend, will assemble at headquarters at 11:30 a. m., on Thursday, January 27, 1898, in order that they may proceed to the Consulate in a body.

Uniform—Fatigue, blue trousers, with sidearms.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant.

JNO. SCHAEFER,
Captain and Adjutant.

Brought to Town

John de Silva, an insane Portuguese from Walluku, was brought down on the Mokoli early Saturday morning. He was removed to the Insane Asylum yesterday.

On Sunday the Claudine brought Johann Viercke from Maui. He was recently put under bonds of \$500 to keep the peace for one year, but being unable to furnish the amount, was sent to Honolulu to be kept in jail until he is able to produce the money.

Two New Schools.

The Bureau of Education calls for tenders for two new two-story school buildings to be added to the numerous group in Honolulu. One will take the place of the present Beretania street school, which has become altogether inadequate. The present Beretania building will be removed to the Punahou district and may take the place of the Manchester and Mokili schools. The second new building will be either in Palama or on Vineyard street.

Musie Settles Down.

Ovide Musie, the violinist, well known in Honolulu and who, with his wife and Mr. Edward Scharf, the pianist, has just completed a tour of the world, has been appointed violin instructor in the Conservatory, at Liege, Belgium. The famous musician is a native of Belgium, but is now an American citizen.

Trotting Race.

News came by the W. G. Hall Sunday of the horse race at Kapaa last Monday, in which Fred Waterhouse's horse, now being driven by Sheriff Carter of Kauai, was pitted against that of Chas. Rice. Much to the sorrow of part of the delegation from Kapaa, Kealia and Lihue, Chas. Rice's horse won.

Artesian Wells.

McCandless Bros. have finished the Moanala artesian well for Minister Damon and besides the work at the new plantation are managing two other contracts of recent date on this island. One is with Jas. Armstrong for a well near Pearl City, near the Peninsula. The other is for Peck & Co., mauka of Cyclometer, where the new stables cottages are to be built.

Rental Cottages.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hendry have decided to build on their lot at the corner of Pensacola and Kina streets, some 12 or more cottage for renting purposes. The locality of the Hendry premises is most desirable and within about ten minutes ride to town on the cars. Work on the cottages will begin very soon.

To Care for Children.

A new feature will be added on Sunday morning at Central Union Church. To accommodate the mothers a kindergarten will be in session in the primary room from 11 a. m. to 12 m. This will enable the parents to have their little ones well cared for while they attend the morning service.

ZULU IN CAPTIVITY.

In Exile They Now Live on the Island of St. Helena.

The London Chronicle tells the following story of the exile of Zulu warriors on the Island of St. Helena: It is many years since the despotic power of Cetewayo—descendant of Chaka, the black Napoleon of South Africa—was broken, and his country partitioned by the then Sir Garnet Wolseley amongst a number of petty chiefs. By this arrangement 13 tiny kingdoms were created, the idea being that the rival chieftains would hold each other in check, instead of uniting to revive the military system which had hitherto prevailed in Zululand. Unfortunately unexpected troubles arose, and the aspirations of the natives naturally found a center in the personality of Dinizulu, son of the deposed Cetewayo. The whole country was soon in a state of unrest, which the Imperial Government of the day vainly tried to allay. The situation was complicated by Ustebu, the chief next in importance to the royal heir, setting up claims to superior power and possessions. The upshot was the famous Zululand Commission, which tried Dinizulu on a charge of treason. He was defended by the present Premier of Natal, then an advocate in the high court of the colony; but the result was the deportation of Dinizulu and his two chief headmen—Tshingana and

Umbabeko—to the Island of St. Helena. The exiles have remained on the island for over seven years, but at last the hour of their freedom approaches. The question of their repatriation has now come to be coupled with that of the proposed incorporation of Zululand and Amangaland with Natal. The last word on the subject will have to be said by the new Parliament of the colony, which will meet after the general election next month. In the meantime, however, the mind of the present Minister—which is sure of the return to power—has been made up, and, in consequence, the Natal Premier, Mr. Escombe, has had a free hand in discussing the arrangements for the future status of Dinizulu and his fellow-chiefs with Mr. Chamberlain.

At the final meeting at the Colonial Office, Mr. Escombe put forward the following arrangement, which we have authority for stating is practically certain to be adopted. Dinizulu will take the position of an induna of the first rank, shorn, however, of the power of acting as confidant or adviser, ex-officio, of the administration. He will be made chief of a district of Zululand, over which he will exercise the authority which is granted at the present moment to a district chief in Natal. He will not, however, be permitted to exercise paramount authority over any of the other Zulu chiefs. He will be salaried by the local Government, furnished with a house of his own, and in general well appointed, the sole proviso being that he shall behave himself in due accordance with the laws of the colony. A further condition is attached in connection with the stipendium, viz., that neither he nor his headmen shall visit his former opponent, Ustebu.

Mr. Chamberlain is understood to have made his consent to this arrangement contingent upon the clear understanding that neither Dinizulu nor Ustebu should have any ground of complaint left to him. This virtually obviates any possibility of the internal feud which some alarmists—probably a very small section in Natal—have been wont to predict as a certain consequence of the repatriation of the exiled chiefs. We gather that Mr. Escombe hopes October, or at the latest November, will see the restoration of Dinizulu and his companions to their native country.

A SOLDIER'S LIFE.

ONLY VETERANS CAN REALIZE THE SUFFERINGS OF ARMY LIFE.

Strong Men Made Helpless Invalids. The Story of One Who Suffered Day and Night for Twenty Years.

From the Chatham (Canada) Banner.

Everyone living in and around the village of Wheatley knows Mr. Peter Slipp, who has been a resident of the place for upwards of twenty years, and who during the whole of that period up to last year was a constant sufferer from acute rheumatism, complicated by other troubles, until he was worn almost to a shadow. At the age of twenty he joined the 21st New York Volunteers, and after being a member of that organization for three years, he joined the New York Cavalry and served through the war of the rebellion. He took part in the historic battles of Bull's Run, Fredericksburg, Culpeper, etc., and at one time rode eighty miles at a stretch, carrying dispatches through the enemy's lines. On another occasion he was on horseback for four days and five nights, and it is little wonder that such hardships left him, as they did thousands of others, with a wrecked constitution. While in the army as a result of poor food and often worse water, he was attacked with diarrhoea, which assumed a chronic form. This of course greatly weakened him, and he fell an easy prey to the pains and terrors of rheumatism. To a correspondent of the Banner he said: "I never expected to be any better in this world as I had tried scores of medicines which brought me no relief at all. Sometimes for weeks at a time I could not lie down or sleep, and could eat but little. I was not only troubled with rheumatism, but at times was subject to fainting spells and at other times everything appeared to turn black before my eyes. I would often feel sick at my stomach, at which times food would prove loathsome to me. My kidneys also troubled me greatly and my nervous system seemed completely shattered. Tongue can scarcely tell how much I endured during those long and weary years. About a year ago I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and it was a grand day for me that I began their use. After I had used a few boxes my pains had decreased and I was considerably better. Later, through a continued use of the pills, I could eat, sleep and felt as able to work as I had done twenty years ago. I now feel well and strong and if any of my old comrades see this and are afflicted I would urge them to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills." An analysis shows that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain in a condensed form all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood, and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, palpitation of the heart, nervous prostration, all diseases depending upon vitiated humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppression, irregularities, and all forms of weakness. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry or excesses of whatever nature. Sold by all dealers in medicine.

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